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PARIS, BOURBON COUNTY, KENTUCKY: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1883.

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New time table of the K. C. in our Friday's issue.

Circuit Court convened at Winchester yesterday.

The woods are full of game—squirrels, rabbits and quail.

The loss by fire in the city of Covington last month was only \$55.

SIXTEEN frame buildings were destroyed by fire at New Orleans Sunday.

THERE are 650 patients in the Lunatic Asylum at Lexington, and no vacancies.

THE long looked for buckwheat cakes have come at last and are duly appreciated.

ASHLAND is to have a military company. Fifty-five names have already been enrolled.

THE "Mt. Olivet Democrat" spells rooster "sup," and says that their "taylor" is rushed with orders.

ELDER J. S. SWEENEY, of this city, began a protracted meeting in the Christian church at Danville last night.

QUARTERLY meeting will begin at the Methodist church Friday night, and will continue over Sunday.

BRICE LETTON got run over by a horse and break wagon on the street here yesterday, and was severely bruised.

THE loss in the county during the year so far, amounts to \$100,000 by fire, \$50,000 by storm, and \$20,000 by water.

JOHN LEWIS POWELL, member-elect of the Kentucky Legislature, assigned at Harrodsburg, Friday. Liabilities, \$6,000.

M. B. LOVELL left at this office yesterday a turnip of his own raising, which weighed 4½ pounds—the largest on record.

NICHOLASVILLE is building a new opera house with a seating capacity of 900. That is just what Paris needs mighty bad.

WALTER BOYD, of Harrodsburg, an intemperate young man, was found dead in his bed at Mt. Sterling, Friday morning.

It is reported that the Knights of Pythias Lodges in Covington are about to be closed up, for want of attendance by the members.

GEO. OLIVER, who killed Tom Allen, has been arrested at the house of his uncle, some distance back from the river in this State.

JEFF. PARKER will erect a new corn mill at Hutchinson, and C. B. Smith has been appointed postmaster, Mrs. Hutchinson having resigned.

JOHN MARSHALL GRUELLE, brother of Wallace Gruelle, editor of the Breckenridge News, died at his home in Arcola, Illinois, October 23rd.

ALONZO MORROW, of Hutchinson, raised 900 bushels of Irish potatoes on four acres—no guess work; they were weighed when sold and delivered.

RAY HARRIS was run over by a loaded wagon at Nicholasville, Saturday, and his leg was badly broken and otherwise injured so that he died.

A MR. MOORE, of Carlisle, has rented the bar and fixtures of the Thurston House and will in the future hand out the jug water at that establishment.

BEFORE you begin to store your fruits and vegetables in the cellar, give it a thorough cleaning out and airing, ending up with a good whitewashing.

THE election class of Miss Irene Hibler will give an entertainment in the chapel of the city school on next Friday evening. The public is invited.

A HOUSE burned at Pleasant Hill, near High Bridge, and Mr. Scott, of the firm of Dunberry & Scott, fell dead with heart disease while running to the fire.

COL. A. M. SWOPE, in a letter in the Danville Tribune, nominates Arthur and Lincoln as the Republican candidates for President and Vice President in 1884.

FOUR men went through a car on the Washburn, St. Louis and Pacific railroad near Danville Junction, and with drawn pistols robbed the passengers of about \$50.

ELDER B. F. CLAY tendered his resignation as pastor of the Harrodsburg Christian Church last Sunday, to take effect January 1st. It was accepted by the congregation.

A FIRE Sunday morning at Port Costa, Cal., destroyed the business portion of the town and eight Central Pacific car loads of wheat. Loss, \$100,000; insurance unknown.

DOGS have made recent raids on the sheep of John B. Kennedy and James Hall and killed and wounded quite a number. This county ought to have an effective dog law.

MR. A. FLEMING and C. B. McCarthy have taken editorial charge of the Lexington Advertiser. They are journalists of capacity and experience and should make a lively paper.

J. SHIPMAN, a Government contractor, living near Washington, was bunked in Cincinnati out of \$80 in money and \$2,400 in checks. The police have found nobody to arrest.

C. B. CLARKSON was arrested for horse-stealing at Nicholasville, but on getting leave to go into his house to change clothing, escaped by jumping out of a window thirty feet high.

A THOROUGH investigation shows that it is not practicable to establish free turnpikes in this State at present, but a good dog law is practicable and ought to be enacted by the next Legislature.

COL. EDMONDSON reports 600 cattle on the market here yesterday, and all sold at \$8.50 to \$8.85; aged mules \$100 to \$150; yearlings, \$90; plug hogs in good demand at fair figures. Big crowd in attendance.

FRIDAY as fifty-two victims were being conveyed from Harrodsburg to Hedges Station to work on the railroad, one jumped out of a window of the closest and escaped, while the train was running at full speed.

THE ladies of the Foreign Mission Society of the Christian Church have announced a "jug-breaking" for Thanksgiving night, after which Mrs. Judge Richard Reid, of Mt. Sterling, will deliver an appropriate address.

SOME forty years ago there resided on Twin Creek, Harrison county, a man named Cason whose wife regularly bore him twins every two years. They removed to Scott county, Mo., after which their children came one at a time.

A FIRE burned R. Lowell's and Agnew's livery stables and Armstrong's Central Flouring Mills on Short street, Lexington, Saturday night. Loss, \$15,000; insurance, \$8,500 on the three buildings. All the horses were saved.

ON Saturday night at about 9 o'clock, the old log stable of Mrs. McGinty Brown, in rear of the Colored Christian Church, burned. It was set on fire in the loft which was filled with hay. A horse was led out of it just before the roof fell in.

THE Mt. Sterling Sentinel has given up all hopes of the Paris, Frankfort & Georgetown road being made through that city, and says that the prospect is now that it will be consolidated with the Kentucky Union and connect with it near Hedges' Station.

THE trite old saying that "persons who live in glass houses should never throw stones" is about to lose its apogee, for an English inventor has produced a method of hardening glass to be used for house building in which an occupant can throw all the stones he wants to without hurting anything.

GEO. M. DAVIE, a young lawyer, a son-in-law of Gen. Wm. Preston, had a fist fight with Judge Theodore Burnett, ex-Confederate Congressman, in the rotunda of the Louisville Court-house Saturday afternoon. In striking a hard lick, Judge Burnett threw his shoulder out of joint, and then friends interfered.

A NUMBER of Olivet's people are attending the debate at Sardis this week. We ask the Olivet folks how the debate is progressing; usually, they say, "finely, only it's one-sided; Harford can't debate." Sardis, well, how is the debate? "O, Sweeney is being walked over rough-shod." Both are beating, and will so continue.—Mt. Olivet Democrat.

THE Flemingsburg Times-Democrat of last week, says: This "dog week" at Louisville. We have often heard that every dog had his day, but this time the managers of the Exposition have decided to give him a whole week. There are about 479 sheep-killing curs in this county which we wish some one would take to Louisville—and drown in the Ohio river.

MAHLON MACKIE, a young lawyer, has been arrested and taken to Louisville, on the charge of having charged \$800 for collecting pension fees amounting to \$1,600 for an old black woman. The Sentinel says that he charged but \$10, the legal fee, and that the woman voluntarily gave him the \$800. Mr. Mackie at once gave the required bail and returned home.

THE Court of Appeals overruled the petition for a rehearing in the case of Frank Steele for killing Capt. Welch in Woodford county. It was a very cowardly murder—he having slipped up on Welch and shot him in the back. Eleven of the jury were for the death sentence, and one for imprisonment, and a compromise was effected on a life sentence. Blackburn even refused to pardon him.

A NEW track will be made at our depot for the Maysville trains, and a platform sixteen feet wide will be made between it and the main line, which will be made where the present track from Maysville now is. The track now used for the main line near the depot, will be used exclusively for the Lexington trains. By this plan all trains will stand abreast, and passengers can easily tell which from which.

A PACKAGE addressed to "Wabash-he-ho-wolf-Pentherless-Roy," Pa., came into the postoffice here Monday, through mistake.—Carlisle Mercury.

THERE is a school at Carlisle, Pennsylvania, conducted by the United States government for the education of Indian children and there are many of them in attendance—thus showing that the above package was no myth.

Money to Loan.

\$650.00 To loan on first mortgage on real estate. Address, S. W., box 151.

The Fire Flend Again.

SATURDAY morning at 5:15, the large ware room belonging to Jas. Ford and R. B. Hutchcraft and occupied by the latter, was discovered to be on fire in the 2nd floor.

The building being filled with hemp from bottom to top, was not long in being consumed by the fire flames. The hatching house and another frame building in the rear were also burned. Hutchcraft & Ford's loss on two buildings, \$12,000; insurance, \$8,650. Hutchcraft's loss on stock \$38,000; insurance about \$25,500. The warehouse of Gass & Hanly and the house of W. F. Spears caught fire, but the flames were extinguished before any damage was done.

The following are the companies represented and their losses: London Assurance, \$3,000; American of Philadelphia, \$3,250; Union of Philadelphia, \$2,500; Imperial London, \$2,500; North Western National of Milwaukee, \$2,500; Glenn Falls, N. Y., \$3,750; Lancashire, of England, \$8,450; La Confiance, Paris, \$2,500; Sun, London, \$1,000; Commercial Union, \$3,000; Connecticut, \$1,000.

A cat sat on a rafter until the flames roared it.

Phil Nippert, Jr., fell on a hemp-hauler and severely punctured his hand.

The new grass cleaner and engine in the grass-cleaning department cost \$3,000.

J. K. Ford & Co., claim to have lost \$20,000 worth of property by the fire and cyclone the past week.

Brent Hutchcraft bought and paid for \$3,000 worth of hemp just placed in his ware room last Wednesday.

J. J. Shaw & Co. will get pay for their uncompleted roof on the ware room, but lost \$108 worth of box tin in the building at time of the fire.

SCINTILLATIONS.

—Up to the scratch—The old hen.

—Hen houses should always be sunny—and dry.

—Rev. J. A. French has returned from Louisville.

—The population of Kentucky now is about 1,750,000.

—Frankfort was selected as the capitol of Kentucky in 1783.

—What is a button? A small event that is always coming off.

—Over the garden wall—cats and bottles and broken bricks.

—Old maids are described as "embers from which the spark has fled."

—Miss Willie Clark, of Louisville, is the guest of Miss Jose Stephens.

—Ladies are now wearing skunk fur for trimmings and pigskin gloves.

—Barry Taylor, one of Newport, Ky.'s, wealthiest citizens, is quite ill.

—Why is a dog's tail a great novelty? Because no one ever saw it before.

—Israel Piper, of Carlisle, aged near seventy years, has the whooping cough.

—Miss Maggie Croxton returned from a weeks visit to Louisville, Saturday.

—A highly-educated Maine girl has just finished singling her father's office.

—Wm. Tarr left Saturday for Texas and New Mexico, on cattle ranch business.

—Mrs. Nellie McClure, of this city, has been on a visit to friends in Winchester.

—Miss Allen, from Nashville, is the guest of her relatives, editor McChesney and family.

—John T. Hedges, of North Middletown, is going to Missouri, to make his future home.

—School Commissioner Wm. Myall returned from a lengthy visit to New York, Saturday.

—Archer, Fla., claims a colored citizen who is a father of thirty-two children, and still he is not happy.

—Haverly receives one hundred dollars a week for the use of his name from Haverly's Minstrels, No. 8.

—An unaddressed envelope, containing \$300 was dropped in the Cincinnati post-office, not long since.

—Duke Bates, of Cincinnati, has taken a position with the McElbreen Distilling Company, at Cincinnati.

—Bicycles are as scarce as hen's teeth in East St. Louis. All vehicles are taxed on that side of the Mississippi.

—Lillian Spencer, who took a crazy fit on the stage recently, is reported as perfectly sane, but doing poor business.

—Owen L. Davis came over from Itchenmond last Saturday and spent the day at home, returning same evening.

—Langtry sent large photographs of herself to several gentlemen who had called upon her during her stay in New York.

—A New York writer calls Rose Eytling that "black-haired woman whose midnight eyes have tropic dreams in them still."

—An Irish woman in St. Louis has applied for a divorce on the grounds that her husband is not the father of her last child.

—These beautifully clear days give the lovers of nature a chance to enjoy the loveliest sun-sets that an artist ever conceived.

—President Arthur has ordered a dozen new suits and a case of neckties. He's determined that no Eastern dude shall down him.

—Pearls remain the most fashionable ornaments for young ladies, and with married ladies the newest gem in favor is the sapphire.

—Col. O'Neal, late of Thurston House, this city, came over from Richmond last Saturday and spent the day with his host of friends.

—There are said to have been opened one night last week forty-two places of amusement in New York, of which twenty-eight were legitimate theaters.

—The Lexington Transcript of last Saturday says: Mr. Ben G. Paton, the jolly Paris attorney, is in the city. He is still growing and in a good humor.

—The distinguished orator, Gen. Samuel F. Carey, of Ohio, has been engaged to deliver 150 lectures throughout New England during the coming season.

—The Flemingsburg Democrat, says: "Chas. E. Jones went to Paris Thursday morning." We haven't seen Charley yet, but suppose he got here all right.

—Ex-President R. B. Hayes will arrive in Cincinnati to-morrow, to preside at the meeting of the Loyal Legion at the Burnet House that night. He is not dead, then, as reported.

—Mlle Minnie Hauk, supported by a coterie of brilliant artists, will appear at the Lexington Opera House on the evening of the 22nd inst. It will be an operatic entertainment of the first water.

—Pat was quite right when he said that it is a great blessing that night never comes on in the middle of the day to interfere with an honest man's work, but always when the day's work is over and a fellow is all tired out.

—The bridesmaids' dresses at a recent fashionable wedding in Cincinnati, were white lace, with bodices and water-fall backs of broche satin; crimson waistcoats of cashmere embroidery and hats of lace with white feathers.

—The Lexington Transcript says: "Hon. Chas. Offutt, of Paris, is in town. Mr. Offutt is one of the ablest young lawyers at the Kentucky bar, and is destined to make his mark. For sometime past he has been in ill-health, but is now much better."

—The theatrical attraction in Cincinnati this week will be Margaret Mather at the Grand, Mr. and Mrs. Chanfrau, at Robinson's, Joshua Whitcomb at the Coliseum, the Howard Athenaeum at Heuck's, and Leavitt's All Star Specialty Company at Havlin's.

—One of Mad. Gerster's most effective walking-dresses is of pigeon-gray cloth, with long loosely falling mantle of gray cloth brocaded in large horse-shoes of a darker shade. The hat worn with this has a high, square crown and is of velvet, trimmed with long plumes.

—Mayor Purnell left Sunday for Clarksville, Va., on legal business in connection with the Webb Ross will case. A special term has been set for the trial of the case this week. It is said that \$250,000 is involved in it. Mrs. Purnell accompanied her husband, and will go on to Baltimore to visit relatives.

—One of Mrs. Langtry's pretty walking dresses is of dark blue broadcloth, with skirt bordered by several tiny plaits of red and yellow satin, a short distance above which is a band of chamois skin some three inches in width. The tight-fitting waist is similarly trimmed, and the little turban worn with it is of dark blue.

—James Gass did not accompany Newell and bride on their tour East, as published Friday. He told Wallace Mitchell (apparently in good earnest that he would) and Wallace told it to his brother George, who was at work in this office, and it was so published. We publish this as one among the many instances where silly jokes bring newspapers in to gross errors, and oftentimes to severe criticisms.

John Harned, father-in-law of J. H. Bassett, was buried here yesterday. He died in the West.

The Flemingsburg railroad train now connects with Conductor Martin's train both ways, so that passengers can now go from here to Flemingsburg and return the same day. Quite a convenience for Court-day—the 3rd Monday.

BUFFALO BILL and Dr. Carver are about to separate in the show business. Bill is making too much money for Carver, who is a better shot than Bill. Carver can break glass balls on a horse at a full gallop, while Bill can only strike one occasionally in a canter.

TOM HALL and John Bedford, Jr., late of Millersburg, but now at Apopka, Fla., have, with three other Florida gentlemen, filed a notice of incorporation of a company, whose object is to construct a railroad from Lake Apopka to the Wekiva river, and also to construct a line of steamers to connect there with on said river and said lake. Their advertisement to the above effect, appears in the South Florida Citizen.

CALIFORNIA Berry for your coal. nov-21.

The Trader, Turfman, Farmer and Sportsman.

—Mrs. E. B. Boyd, of Carlisle, who was at the point of death last week, is now getting better.

Willis Buckler, of Nicholas county, sold his home farm of 157 acres, to Capt. Sam Rogers, at \$80 per acre.

Mr. F. B. Harper, of Woodford county, recently sold three Ten Brock colts to St. Louis parties for \$18,000.

At the short-horn sale of Bright, Rogers & Calames, at Lexington last Friday, 63 animals averaged \$150. The highest sold was \$350.

Dr. Charlie Mathers, of Carlisle, sold \$14 acres and a residence near Carlisle, to Thos. Collier, for \$1,900 cash. It will be occupied by T. C. Collier.

Best tobacco sold last week in Cincinnati, at \$28.75 for Brown County, Ohio; \$26.25 for Mason County; \$24.50 for Pendleton; \$23.50 for Owen, and \$28, for Blue Grass.

During the past week there arrived at the Covington Stock-yards 9,300 head of stock, divided as follows: Cattle, 1,331; hogs, 6,446; sheep, 1,560; horses and mules, 53.

E. D. Sayre, of Lexington, sold the farm formerly owned by Keene Richards, adjoining Georgetown, containing 107 acres, to Prof. Rueker, for \$125 per acre, cash.

David Trabe, of near Shawhan, has a three-year-old stallion named "THE BOXER NEWS," which has taken seventeen premiums at eighteen Kentucky and Ohio fairs, this season. He is by Star Chief, by Bald Chief, by Mambrino, out of a Mambrino dam.

Gass & Hanly bought last week, 280,000 pounds of hemp from Edwin G. Bedford, at \$5.00 per cwt., and the same is now being delivered at Huston. It will take thirty cars to transport the crop. This is probably the largest sale of hemp ever made by a farmer in this county.

TRY the Marie Mine Coal, A. BERRY. nov-21.

BIRDS

This secret has been kept from the News several days: A little girl is visiting at Frank Armstrong's house, and she intends to make it her home in the future.

NOTICE.—The cyclone having demolished Deputy Collector James Brown's office over Taylor's store, persons desiring to see him will find him at his home, opposite the Catholic church, on Main street. 21.

CEREMONY

—Jay Gould's son, George, is to marry Miss Carrie Astor.

Miss Josephine Salter, daughter of R. L. Salter, of Danville, and Mr. Geo. W. Chestnut, of Louisville, will be married to-morrow.

Miss Lyde Atkinson, sister to Mrs. Woodson Morgan, of this city, was married to Dr. Bruce Stone, of Flemingsburg, last Thursday.

Mr. John B. Orr, son of Mr. Geo. W. Orr, one of Maysville's leading contractors and builders, and Miss Emma P. Sauer were quietly wedded, Thursday, the 1st inst.

Todd Reed and Miss Minnie Hill, a niece of the lamented Senator Ben Hill, were attendants at a West Point, Ga., wedding. It was a first acquaintance. A few hours afterward they drove over to Antioch and were married.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

Condensed and Put into Readable Shape.

DOMESTIC.

The steamer *St. Francis* sank in the Lachine Rapids of the St. Lawrence River on the 30th. She had fifty passengers on board, who were landed on an island where they spent the night.

Robert Kerr, a dissipated member of a wealthy family of Edinburgh, Scotland, was burned to death in a house on Oak River, Manitoba, on the 30th while intoxicated. He had just come into possession of a large sum of money.

The first bale of cotton ever picked from the field by machinery was exhibited at the Charleston (S. C.) Cotton Exchange on the 30th. The condition of the cotton was pronounced by cotton men as good as hand-picked of the same grade.

While Hunter's Consolidated Show was exhibiting at New Edinburgh, Ark., on the 31st, unknown persons fired a volley through the canvas. The bullets passed through all parts of the tent, which was crowded with spectators. A contortionist who was performing in the ring was shot through the head and died instantly. The fiends who fired the volley fled to the woods.

Three hundred houses in Savannah, Ga., covering half a square mile, a large cotton warehouse containing three thousand bales of cotton, and much other property, were burned in a fire which broke out at noon on the 31st. Fifteen hundred people, the greater part of them colored, have been rendered homeless and sleep around fires which are built on open lots. Three persons are known to have lost their lives, and the number will probably be raised to ten. The loss is roughly estimated at \$1,000,000, with insurance aggregating less than half of that amount.

A special carrying the officers of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, running as fast as the engine could be made to go, collided near Fountain City on the 31st with a freight train. The wreck was a bad one, but there was no one seriously injured.

Nine Cherokee Indians have organized themselves into a company for the purpose of establishing a National Bank at Vinita, Indian Territory, with a capital of \$50,000.

A horse-thief named Small, in the Belvidere Jail, N. J., has taken a notion that he will surpass Dr. Tanner's record as a faster. He has eaten nothing since October 6.

McFadden, of Winnipeg, and Martland, of St. Louis, fought for \$1,000 aside, at Caldwell, Idaho, on the 31st. Martland was carried from the ring insensible at the end of the fourteenth round, and will probably die.

Chas. H. Sams, of Savannah, Ga., was shot and killed at New York on the 31st by his mistress, Jennie Mitchell. The woman claims it was an accident.

Two masked men robbed the vault of the County Treasury of Virginia City, Nev., a few nights ago of \$8,000. They overpowered the Treasurer and locked him up in the vault. The affair is considered mysterious, as \$4,000 of the amount was in silver and too heavy to carry off.

The Detroit *Free Press* and the *Post and Tribune* have reduced in price from five to three cents per copy.

A tragedy resulted from a game of croquet near Woodbury, N. J., a few days since. Rudolph Hines became angry because his wife beat him at the game, and kicked her with his heavy cowhide boot. She became unconscious and died soon after.

The libel suit of the Allan Steamship Company for \$50,000 damages against the Montreal *Witness* (newspaper), was decided in favor of the newspaper.

The fence-cutting troubles in Texas are believed to have been adjusted, and no further trouble is anticipated.

A gang of ten counterfeiters, whom a Government detective has been watching for months, have been captured in Pike County, Ind.

New light-buoys, from England, are to be anchored off Cape Lookout, the Diamond Shoals and Cape Hatteras, which are supplied with condensed fat gas. They will burn day and night for four months without attention, and can be seen a distance of ten miles.

The steamer *Katie P. Kountz* and cargo was destroyed by fire in the Mississippi River, at Davis' Landing, twenty miles above New Orleans, on the 1st. The boat was valued at \$18,000, and insured in Eastern offices for \$9,000.

As the freight train on the Southern Pacific was crossing the Santa Anna River bridge near Canton, Cal., on the 1st, a car-wheel broke. Eighteen cars were precipitated into the river. The loss was heavy. Two tramps were killed and two braken injured.

The double team, H. B. Winship and Hiram Bruce, made their mile at Narragansett Park on the 1st, in 2:10.4. It is the best time ever made by a double team, and is within half a second of Maud S.'s best time.

The New York Chamber of Commerce has adopted resolutions strongly condemning the watering of stocks by corporations, and favoring a reduction in city postage. A committee was appointed to prepare a plan for a National bankrupt law.

"Steve" Raymond, the English forger, convicted at New York for passing a forged coupon of the Union Pacific Railroad, was sentenced to the Penitentiary for life.

The Post-office at Haverhill, Mass., was entered by burglars a few nights ago, the safe blown open and five hundred dollars in cash and one thousand dollars in stamps stolen.

MARY CHURCHILL, the missing St. Louis girl, has written to her father that she is not on the stage but gives no more definite information concerning herself.

HENRY IRVING, the noted English tragedian, appeared for the first time in America at the Star Theater in New York on the evening of the 29th, as *Mathias*, the Polish Jew, in the drama of "The Balk." William Winter, says the audience received Irving as an honored friend, whose name and fame were, long ago established. He thinks that since the old days of Charles Kean no display of morbid spiritual vivisection has been seen upon the stage that approaches or even resembles the dream of *Mathias*, as acted by Henry Irving, and he adds that he knows of no parallel to the sustenance of Irving's tremendous agony

in that most difficult of all dramatic conditions—soliloquies. The audience, one of the most brilliant ever gathered, was spell-bound.

GUSTAVUS VASSARFOX, Assistant Secretary of the Navy under Lincoln, died at his home in Lowell, Mass., on the 29th, aged sixty-two years.

TIMOTHY J. MARGENT, City Comptroller of Buffalo, has declined a re-nomination, on the ground that he has already embezzled \$5,000 belonging to the city. His friends say he is crazy.

MATHEW ARNOLD delivered his lecture on "Numbers" in Chickering Hall, New York, on the evening of the 30th. There was a large and brilliant audience present. He read his lecture by poor light and in a tone of voice that was not audible half-way down the hall.

MAJOR CRUMBAUGH, Collector of Internal Revenue in the Second Kentucky District, has been acquitted in the U. S. Court of the charge of using official envelopes for private correspondence.

C. A. Holt, a Boston lawyer, has been arrested on the charge of violation of the pension laws.

GOVERNOR BUTLER says that the rights of the people of Massachusetts have been circumscribed by laws recently enacted until it is harder for an elector to approach a ballot-box in Massachusetts than in any other State in the Union.

JOHN C. K. HEINE, a prominent lawyer of Reading, Pa., has mysteriously disappeared. It is alleged that he retained \$18,000 collected for the heirs of an estate.

THOS. HOAG, who mysteriously disappeared from his jewelry store on Broadway, New York, September 24, passed through Albany October 31, on his way home. He had been to London and returned by way of Halifax.

MISS JESSIE TALMAGE, daughter of the famous Brooklyn preacher, was married on the 31st in the Talmage Tabernacle to Warren G. Smith, a jeweler of the same city. It was a very brilliant affair.

JUDGE MCCRARY, in the United States Court, at Denver, has declared invalid the titles of 2,500 acres of valuable lands, the deeds to which, though from innocent holders, were traced back to patents obtained by fraud.

JOHN COLLINS, son of E. K. Collins, a large steamboat owner, of New York, has brought suit for \$50,000 for false imprisonment and malicious prosecution against his stepmother, Mrs. Sarah J. Collins. He claims that she secured his arrest on a charge of perjury, in May last, for the purpose of deterring him from contesting his father's will, by which the greater portion of his property was bequeathed to her.

HUGH N. GOLDSMITH, the nineteen-year-old son of Hon. J. M. Goldsmith, of Stone Mountain, Ga., was arrested at Macon on the 1st, charged with forging his father's name to a check for five hundred dollars. When arrested he had made all arrangements to elope to Texas with a prominent young lady of Macon.

MISS AGNES HILL, claiming to be Mrs. Sharon, has brought suit in the Supreme Court at San Francisco against ex-Senator Sharon, for divorce and division of property and alimony.

A remarkable wedding occurred at Chattanooga, Tenn., on the 1st. Three sisters, named McClure, members of a prominent family, were married at the same pulpit, by the same minister. But one ceremony was performed. The three couples left on a wedding tour together.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

The Interior Department has joined the Naval Observatory in recommending that the time of the 75th meridian, which is to be the standard of the Eastern division of the uniform railway schedule, be adopted as the local time of Washington City, and the recommendation meets with no opposition from the other Departments. If the change is made, the clocks in Washington will have to be put forward eight minutes and twenty-two seconds.

The clear intimation of the report of the Utah Commissioners is that unless the monogamic Mormon Legislature shall enact laws which will carry out the Edmunds Act in its spirit, and provide for the disfranchisement of polygamists, severe measures should be adopted.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR's ambition is said to be to have his administration go on record as one during which the burdens of taxation were reduced.

SECRETARY FOLGER has appointed Mifflin Elmer Bell, of Des Moines, Iowa, Supervising Architect of the Treasury, vice J. G. Hill, resigned.

A CABINET meeting was held on the 30th, with all the members present except Secretary Frelinghuysen. Several important questions pending in the several departments were disposed of.

A COURT of Inquiry has been appointed to investigate the cause of the failure of the Greeley relief expedition.

The amount disbursed by army pension agents in the last fiscal year was \$59,906,501. Of this there was disbursed at Washington, D. C., \$3,449,610; at Indianapolis, \$5,154,800; at Chicago, \$3,856,779; at Columbus, O., \$5,684,320. The total amount of "arrests of pensions" disbursed by agents during the year was \$79,811.

The Secretary of the Interior has sustained the Commissioner of Indian Affairs in his decision, to the effect that the Department does not recognize the Courts of Indian Territory as Courts of Record with in the meaning of Section 2103 of the Revised Statutes, which requires that certain agreements made with Indians shall be executed before a Judge of a Court of Record.

The Secretary holds it was not the intention of the law-makers that agreements should be executed before Judges having such limited knowledge of laws and treaties affecting the rights of Indians, and such limited general information as Judges of the Indian Courts within the Indian country usually possess.

INTERNAL REVENUE COMMISSIONER EVANS published a letter on the 1st from Collector Crumbaugh, in which numerous threats were made if he interfered in the affairs of the Kentucky Collection District over which Crumbaugh presided.

GENERAL SHERMAN had a short talk with General Sheridan at Army Headquarters in Washington on the 1st about current business. Then he wrote a brief order relinquishing the command, and rising, gave Sheridan his seat. The latter issued an order assuming command, and the transfer was completed. The two Generals then called upon the Secretary of War, and with him paid their respects to the President. There is much regret in Washington over the retirement of General Sherman and the breaking up of his military family.

The Secretary of State has received from the Geographical Society of France a very handsome gold medal, intended as a testimonial to Lieut. Frederick A. Schwatka,

United States Army, in recognition of his services in the successful expedition to King William's Land, 1878-80.

The reduction in the public debt for the month of October amounted to \$10,304,798; total interest bearing debt October 31, \$1,312,446,000; total debt, \$1,868,052,995; cash in the Treasury, \$304,347,501.

FOREIGN.

The Irish Emigration Committee is said to be arranging for the wholesale shipment of Irish people to Canada. Large contracts have been made with vessel-owners for the transportation of emigrants. The Canadian Government is said to be a party to the arrangement.

WILLIAM HOBBS, bookkeeper for Hobbs, Osborne & Hobbs, hardware, at London, Ont., has absconded to the United States, taking with him a large amount of the company's funds. He was convicted and sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for a similar crime in 1877. The amount embezzled in that instance was \$59,000.

A HEAVY cotton failure (liabilities more than \$5,000,000) has occurred in Liverpool. Others are expected to follow. Dealings in futures have been brought to a standstill.

The occupants of the flying-machine which thirty thousand Parisians saw lifted skyward by a balloon on the 29th landed safely a short distance from Paris. The machine wouldn't work.

"SCAB" appeared in a large lot of sheep which were ready for shipment from Montreal a few days ago. The Department of Agriculture ordered them slaughtered.

The Marquis of Lorne says that should provincial feeling be developed stronger than the feeling of loyalty to the General Government, the American civil war may be repeated in Canada.

MICHAEL DAVITT, in a lecture in London, denounced Salisbury and Northcote for exciting discord in Ireland. He said it was less the Land Leaguers that the enlightened manhood of England that the holders of ill-gotten property need to fear.

The liabilities of Morris Ranger, the embarrassed Liverpool cotton dealer, will reach \$750,000. Several smaller dealers have also suspended, and there is much excitement in Liverpool. The failures had no effect upon the American market.

The steamer *Holyhead*, from Dublin to Holyhead, collided with the *Alambria* in mid-channel on the 31st, and sank. There were sixty people on board, who were probably all lost.

SEVERAL persons were arrested on the 31st on the suspicion of being implicated in the tunnel explosion plot in London, but they were soon released. The explosion was caused by nitro-glycerine, which was put up in glass shells the size of bird's eggs. The number of injured was much larger than at first reported. O'Donovan Rossa told a New York reporter that the explosions were arranged by the Fenian Brotherhood, of whose movements he is apprised.

Guards have been placed around public buildings, banks and important offices, through fear that other such efforts to destroy life and property will be attempted.

THIRTY thousand Arabs, armed only with lances, attacked Hicks Pasha's army on the 31st, which was formed into an Egyptian square. They were met by a Krupp gun, and, fleeing, left eight thousand dead on the field.

ORANGEMEN seized the City Hall in London on the 1st and prevented the Lord Mayor of Dublin from delivering a lecture. The Nationalists tried to offset this demonstration by entertaining the Lord Mayor at dinner. A troop of lancers were found necessary to preserve the peace.

The Spanish Government has promised to abolish stocks and fetters for slaves in Cuba, and do everything possible toward the destruction of the patronage of slaveholders.

ENGLAND, on account of her commercial interests that will be imperiled, is expected to intervene in the event of an outbreak of hostilities between France and China.

LATER NEWS.

THE pay of Captain J. P. Walker, of the Thirty-second Cavalry, who escaped from St. Elizabeth Insane Asylum, has been ordered stopped, on the ground that he is absent without leave.

Four popular young men of Erie, Pa., while duck-shooting on the lake on the 2d were all drowned. They were John W. Eyster, Giles Russell, Fred. C. Kiley and Charles Brown.

The business failures throughout the United States and Canada for the seven days ending the 2d, number 215, against 218 the week previous.

JOSEPH H. BRADLEY, a Washington attorney of fourscore years, has married Miss Mary Harris, who some years ago shot and killed in one of the corridors of the Treasury Department, a clerk named Burroughs, whom she claimed had jilted her. She was defended by her present husband and Senator Voorhees, and got off on a plea of insanity.

THE West Boylston (Mass.) schools are closed, fifty cases of diphtheria having occurred within a week, with five deaths.

A RIOT occurred on the 2d among laborers on the Schuylkill Valley Railroad who had been refused an advance in wages. The participants were pursued by a strong posse and twenty of them arrested.

ATTORNEY JAMES YOUNG, of Camden, N. Y., was murdered a few days ago, and his body thrown into the Delaware River.

THE New York Grand Jury has made a presentment to the court, calling attention to the practice of granting licenses to keep saloons to notorious thieves and criminals. The Grand Jury severely censures the executive commissioners, and advises that such licenses be revoked.

The English Privy Council were warned by an anonymous note that an attempt would be made to blow up the train on which the Duke and Duchess of Connaught expected to travel, on the evening of the 2d, from Dover to London on their way to India. Extraordinary precautions were taken to prevent the plan from being carried out.

The entire Sophomore and Freshman classes, of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, at Troy, N. Y., have been suspended on account of a struggle for a class banner, in which two students were seriously injured and property destroyed.

A CATTLE show opened in Kansas City on the 2d. In the street parade the Scotch Pipers were put in the lead, followed by the imported Galloways. Twenty-seven heifers sold at an average price of \$425.

INDICTMENTS have been found by the New York Grand Jury against ten city government employees in the Comptroller's office and Bureau of the Water Register. They are charged with misappropriating water rents and other funds belonging to the city.

LONDON AGAIN SHAKEN.

Two Terrible Explosions in the Underground Railway in London Cause Great Consternation—Fifty or Sixty Persons Wounded and a Large Amount of Property Destroyed—The Crime Attributed to Fenians—Alleged Discovery of Rocket-like Contrivances.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—At eight o'clock last evening a terrible explosion occurred near the Praed-street underground station of the Metropolitan Railway. On the first alarm a strong cordon of police was summoned to preserve order, to keep the way clear, and to convey the wounded people to hospitals. Passengers on the train at the scene of the explosion say there was suddenly a loud report, like a cannon, and then suddenly darkness, the gaslights from the front to the rear of the train being put out. Glass was broken and splinters of wood flew about the cars, cutting and wounding many passengers. Above the din were heard the shrieks of the injured and panic-stricken people. All this occurred in a moment, and for a while confusion reigned supreme. The train, which was crowded, contained principally country visitors returning from the fisheries exhibition. After leaving the station the train traveled steadily ahead, although the concussion smashed nearly all the lamps in the Praed-Street Station and caused much damage to the permanent way.

When the train reached the next station, on the Edgeware road, the first effort was made to rescue the wounded. Some were dreadfully burned, but more were prostrated by fright. At the doctors, surgeons, and dispensaries in the neighborhood were called into requisition. The first impression was that an explosion of gas caused the disaster, but later inquiries tend to show malice. Two rear carriages were damaged most. They are mere skeletons. Another theory is that the explosion was caused by foul gas accumulating in the tunnel. This, however, is untenable, because no preliminary symptoms were observable. The general opinion of railway officials and experts is that the disaster was caused by some explosive material which had been placed probably in the rear-most carriage. Meanwhile a searching inquiry is proceeding. It is believed that about forty persons were injured, some dangerously.

Almost simultaneously with the Praed street affair, a violent explosion occurred in the underground railway between Charing Cross and Westminster stations. Windows and signaling stations in the tunnel were shattered. At Charing Cross the glass roof of the station partially collapsed. The report is described as being like that of artillery. The effects were similar to those of the Praed street explosion. Carriage lamps, windows, etc., were smashed. All traffic was suspended for a while. Although both explosions are matters of the greatest mystery, they are generally thought to have been of Fenian origin.

The shocks of both explosions are described by officials as very similar to the shock at the local government board office in March last, in which Dr. Gallinger was implicated. It is stated that four machines similar to rockets were found in the tunnel, near the Praed-Street Station. Altogether six carriages were shattered by the explosion near Praed street. Although about forty persons were admitted to the hospitals, many more were injured, but were sent directly to their own homes.

The Times says that since the disastrous events at the local government board, in March last, nothing has occurred so calculated to excite public alarm as the explosion to-night. It is evident the occurrences were not accidental. The explosives were of a most powerful nature. Suspicion points in one direction only. It is hoped the authors will speedily be brought to justice.

Fatal Choke Damp.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 31.—Kiefer & Stiefel's tannery, in the upper part of Allegheny City, was the scene of a terrible affair Tuesday morning, two men sacrificing their lives in an unsuccessful attempt to save their fellow-workman. The firm have been digging a well to be used as a vat, and this morning Christ Dickson, an employee, went down to measure the depth of water, when he was overcome by foul air. Ferdinand Schrader and Charles Schultz, who were working near by, heard his cries and Schrader descended into the well to assist him. But no sooner had he reached the bottom, than the fatal choke damp rendered him insensible. Schultz then followed, but he was also overcome. Ropes were then procured and fastened around the bodies of Salome Bamberger and Rhinehart Remsen, who were lowered into the death trap. With difficulty they tied the bodies to the ropes, and all were hauled up. Dickson, Schrader and Schultz were unconscious, but with the aid of restoratives were soon revived, and they were able to go to their homes. Dickson was single, and the other two were married.

Novel and Pathetic Scene.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 31.—There was a novel and pathetic scene in the new court-house Tuesday, where Charles Briggs was on trial for the murder of his wife, or alleged wife. It was a twelve-year-old girl, whose testimony will probably send the prisoner in the dock, who is about fifty years old to-day. The little girl, who was as bright intellectually as the most pretty of face, told the story of the killing with vivid distinctness. This has already been related, but her subsequent evidence, wherein she detailed the previous quarrels of her mother and her father, as she called Briggs, completely upset, in advance, the theory which it is expected the defense will adopt, viz.: That the prisoner, the insane or was at the time of the killing. The little girl told of the repeated quarrels between Briggs and her mother about women and men, and unfolded an awful story of domestic depravity.

Another Railroad Enterprise.

DENVER, Col., Oct. 31.—Articles of incorporation of the United States Central Railway, to run from San Francisco to this city, were filed Tuesday. The capital stock is \$75,000,000, and prominent men are among the promoters of the scheme, among them being ex-Governor Beveridge, of Illinois.

At the election of officers at San Francisco, W. Walker, of the St. Louis & Hannibal Road, was elected President. Should the line gain easy entrance to San Francisco it is thought it will prove a formidable competitor to the Central Pacific.

Indicted.

CHICAGO, Oct. 31.—Frank L. Loring and John Flemming, charged with pretending to constitute a firm under the style of Flemming & Merriam, which pretended to do a brokerage business, but really bent on appropriating to their own use the money of persons contributing to a fictitious fund called "Mutual Co-Operative Fund," also with using the mails contrary to law, for sending and receiving letters for these fraudulent purposes, have been indicted by the Grand Jury.

THE COMMONWEALTH.

A FREIGHT train on the Kentucky Central Railroad ran over and killed eight mules near Richmond the other day, the property of Harvey Cobb.

MARIA ASH, aged twenty-two years, living about six miles from Frankfort, appeared before the Grand Jury a few days ago as a witness against her father, Bedford Ash. She says that two years ago he compelled her to submit to carnal intercourse with him, since which time she has given birth to a child, and that he is the father of it. Ash has another daughter, aged about fourteen years, and it is said that a few nights since he tried to ruin her, and upon her refusal, he whipped her in a cruel manner. She started to the city to tell the authorities, but he overtook her and brought her back home. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

LUCY CONNOR, colored, living near Maysville, was decoyed from her home a few nights ago by Marshall Boston under the pretense of having been sent for by a sick neighbor. After getting her some distance from her home he forced her to accompany him into a thicket, where he repeatedly outraged her. He was arrested the next day, and is now in jail.

The Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Kentucky, which was in session at Cranford a few days since, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Grand Master, J. F. Grant; Deputy Grand Master, R. L. Cook; Grand Warden, D. C. Cunningham; Grand Secretary, Wm. White; Grand Treasurer, Geo. W. Morris; Grand Representative, W. W. Morris. The following nominations for grand officers were made: Grand Master, J. M. Bigger, D. L. Cook; Deputy Grand Master, John Lewis, G. W. Ried, E. B. Lewis, D. L. Cunningham; Grand Warden, John L. Gaunt, A. M. Cockran, R. M. Anderson, E. H. Kirkman, H. E. Jenkins, Jno. T. Wilson, George Ziller; Grand Secretary, William White, L. R. Hawthorn; Grand Treasurer, G. W. Morris; Grand Representative, John C. Underwood.

An instrument entitled Articles Incorporating the "Seldon Gold Mining and Milling Company, of Georgia," with headquarters at Louisville, has been recorded in that city. The incorporators are Hon. J. Seldon Miller, W. Scott Gore, and J. W. Fowles, and the stipulated capital for running the bonanza is \$100,000, and the private property of stockholders is exempt from liabilities in case "all that glitters is not gold."

A SHIPMENT of fifteen thousand young carp was made by the United States Fish Commission at Washington, a few days ago, for distribution in this State. These carp were obtained from the ponds in Washington, the water being drawn off for that purpose.

MRS. MARY A. JAMES, of Knoxville, Tenn., has entered suit at Louisville to recover \$4,000 from the National Mutual Association, the same being the amount for which her late husband's life was insured by defendant.

MAJOR S. R. CRUMBAUGH, Collector of Internal Revenue for the Second District of this State, has been acquitted before the United States Supreme Court at Louisville of the charge of using Government envelopes for private correspondence.

A HARRODSBURG, Mercer County, dispatch of the 30th says: "Last night about half-past nine Robert Pulliam, while drunk, boasted that he could not be arrested. This led to some words with Ki Hawkins, when Hawkins knocked Pulliam down. Hawkins then walked up the street. When he got opposite the house on the corner of Main street and Lexington, near the old Pottem House, Pulliam came up to him and shot him under the left arm, killing him instantly. A moment after James Moffett came up the street, when Pulliam shot him in the neck, wounding him severely. Pulliam was immediately arrested and placed in jail. There is some hope of Moffett's recovery."

MR. JOHN SCHERER, an old German residing near Alexandria, in Campbell County, applied to the police of Newport a few days ago for assistance in recovering his daughter Barbara, nineteen years of age, who left home some eight months ago. Search by the officers revealed her presence in a house of ill-fame. She refused to go home, but was finally prevailed upon to accompany her father to her sister's, a Mrs. Smith, living in Cincinnati.

Weekly Review of the Louisville Leaf Tobacco Market.

The receipts for the week were 230 hogsheads against 300 last week, and 160 in the corresponding week of last year. Receipts have been small, and are not expected to increase except from the fruits of the crop of 1883. Of the latter 18 hogsheads appeared on the breaks this week, and if insignificant in quantity these offerings have been in the highest degree encouraging as samples of the forthcoming crop. To the extent to which the crop has been represented by plants, samples and packages, it is the best crop in some respects that has been handled for many years. The leading specialties are in color, texture and body, but there would also appear to be more leafiness in some sections at least than has been anticipated. Burley samples have appeared principally, but the Clarksville types have also been represented very favorably. Among the finest specimens of Burley ever received here were several carloads from Mercer County, a comparatively new tobacco county of Central Kentucky. Burley tobaccos have been strong at full prices. New crop tobaccos were never offered here with a keen demand and have sold high, at figures indeed considerably higher, when loss of weight and cost of carrying are considered, than corresponding grades of dry tobacco. Dark and heavy styles, both leaf and lugs, have been firm, with fuller prices at the close for common and medium leaf. The New York market is reported strong for Kentucky tobacco, with sales of 927 hogsheads during the week at 6 1/2 @ 11 3/4. We quote full weight packages as follows:

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Common lugs.....5 75 @ 6 25 6 00 @ 6 50
Medium lugs.....6 00 @ 6 75 7 00 @ 7 50
Good lugs.....6 50 @ 7 25 8 00 @ 8 50
Common leaf.....6 75 @ 7 50 8 00 @ 9 00
Medium leaf.....7 50 @ 8 00 8 50 @ 9 50
Good leaf.....9 00 @ 11 00 10 00 @ 12 00
Fine and fancy leaf.....12 00 @ 15 00 20 00 @ 25 00

A horrible case of self-mutilation recently transpired near Macon, Ga. Edward Moore, an old clergyman, of Tattallan County, while under a temporary derangement of mind, became impressed with the idea that he must obtain relief by cutting off his hand, and, after eating breakfast, went to a shop, procured an ax and deliberately chopped off his hand. He walked some two hundred feet after he had completed the act and fell over in a ditch, where he was subsequently found exhausted from the loss of blood. He was taken to the house, and after a little trouble the physicians succeeded in improving his condition.

In a recent lecture Mr. Stuart Poole, of the British Museum, condemned the present fashion of examination for competition adopted in the great English schools. He said he regarded the existing system not only as a cruelty, but as a sheer injustice, which, especially in the case of women, was detrimental to health. He warned his lady hearers never to recruit their study time from the hours which should be allotted to sleep, the chief nourisher in life's feast.

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

It is said that water-proof paper, which has recently come into extensive use, causes increased dampness of the walls of houses.

A WESTERN man writes of the New England boarding houses: "They are starving men and women there on their everlasting beans."

THE Chicago *Inter-Ocean* is sure a fortune awaits the man who will invent a penholder you can't stick in the muzzle of a bottle, and a muzzle brush that won't go into the inkstand.

THAT wood is a safer pavement than stone or asphalt has been proven by observations made by the London police, and a comparison of the number of accidents with the number of miles traveled by horses.

It is said that the word "masher" was introduced into this country by Irish immigrants, it being derived from the Gaelic *maise*, pronounced masher, and signifying fine, handsome, and was originally applied in derision to a dandy who ogled ladies.

AT NEW ORLEANS is a bale of raw silk grown in Louisiana, which weighs ten pounds eight ounces, is worth eighty-three dollars and fifty cents, and comprises sixty-three skeins, making one million two hundred and sixty thousand yards, or over seven hundred miles.

THE large and increasing consumption of alcoholic liquors and tobacco in English lun

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Richard Reid, of Mt. Sterling, is a candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals, to succeed Judge Hargis—subject to the action of the Democracy of the First Appellate District.

Ir Charley Rose is living he is 14 years of age.

Even the male members of Mr. Beecher's congregation kiss him.

Hon. M. J. DURHAM thinks that Randall will beat Carlisle for Speaker.

ALABAMA is turning her attention to great mineral wealth, coal and iron.

REPUBLICANS are hoping to carry New York, but their hope will be crushed.

In cost \$100,000 to get out last year's Christmas number of Harper's Magazine.

The news from the Quaker City is that Judge Headley is rapidly regaining his health.

Now the brown nuts begin to fall; likewise the little boy who climbs the tree after them.

Up to Monday, the 29th, twenty-eight murders were committed in Kentucky during October.

The London people were carried away with Mary Anderson's Paulina, in "The Lady of Lyons."

Up to this date the United States have 114,000 miles of completed railroad, and Europe has 110,000.

The Coroner's jury in the Zora Burns murder case at Lincoln, Ills., threw no light on the frightful tragedy.

ARKANSAS is sharing with Texas the tide of immigration pouring Southward from the West, attracted by the extensive forests.

KARE TOWNSEND, Queen of the New Orleans demi monde, and worth \$100,000 was murdered by her paramour, Treville E. Sykes.

A NUMBER of shots were fired into a circus tent near Edinber, Ark., by unknown parties. One of the performers was instantly killed.

CHARLOTTE EPPS was sentenced at Huntington, Ind., Friday, to imprisonment for life for poisoning her husband. He was old and wealthy.

SARAH BERNHARDT is going to play "Lady Macbeth" in Paris. When "Macbeth" sees her he will exclaim "Is this a dagger I see before me?"

A CONNECTICUT young man eloped with his step-mother. It is hard to tell what a Connecticut young man will not elope with when he becomes restless.

THERE has been less malaria and fever of all types in Washington the present season than for many years, owing, it is claimed, to the dredging of the flats.

ELVEN prisoners are to be tried for different degrees of murder in the Criminal Court at Cincinnati this month. It is about time for the Sheriff to be oiling up the old gallows.

Gov. KNOTT says he will not remit any fines assessed against gamblers, and the Governor has a way of keeping his word. Now, if the juries will do their duty the gamblers must go.

Not being convenient just now for him to be Governor of Ohio, the late Judge J. B. Foraker has been appointed counsel for the Receiver of the Toledo, Cincinnati and St. Louis railroad.

MISS NELLIE C. BAILY, age 21, educated, handsome and attractive, has been held over at Wichita, Kansas, for murder. She quietly shot her paramour's brains out and appropriated for her own use \$7,000 in money and jewelry, and \$10,000 worth of sheep, then in his possession.

The Lexington Democrats are to hold a primary election on the first Saturday in January, 1894, to select candidates for the municipal offices to be filled next March, and the election of county officers three years hence, is attracting much attention in Clark county.

The street railroad companies of Cincinnati have adopted the plan of making a gift of \$100 to each of its conductors who have served honestly and faithfully for a year. This reward is not only an incentive to a proper performing of the conductor's duties, but it creates a kindly feeling between the employer and employee, which will invariably result to the good of both.

Millersburg (War) Department.

Baldheads and beautiful beloveds.
 Miss Sallie Ball is now "zibbeting" at Vanceburg.

It seems as if the whites ought to have a hall in Millersburg.

Uncle Bill Allen, the oldest colored infidel in the Union, died last week.

J. Pot Rogers has returned and will take a fresh start for moving Chicago.

Roden & Ambs are moving their store to the old Vimont drug store building.

H. H. Hunt took in Maysville Sunday, and it's currently reported he was lynched.

Mrs. W. F. Champ returned from attending the Louisville Exposition Saturday.

Dinwiddie McKee has sold his Mason county farm of 63 acres, to Wm. Byron, for \$5,500.

Surely the City Council will have their pictures taken and placed along with the gallery and gate.

W. L. Geiger, one of the boys who "jst knowed all about it" is at home on a week's recreation.

Jno. J. Long has pitched his tent in Midway. A very nice town for the pitching business Johnnie.

A. McClintock will leave for Albuquerque, New Mexico, to-morrow, in the interest of his ranch.

Charlie Turner sold last week, 137 wethers and ewes to Jas. Ford, that averaged 165 pounds, at \$4.25 and \$4.95 per cwt.

Councilman McIntyre has taken down the town chart and is looking for Cholera Hollow. It's down by the old stone factory, Councilman.

It is fully understood why the Lord scourges Paris with wind, rain and fire; He's after the mangy looking outfit that visits Millersburg every Sunday.

To-morrow, at 2 P. M., in the M. E. church, Miss Carrie Cooper, one of the prettiest and most accomplished of all Millersburg's girls will be married to Mr. Barber, of Indiana.

One of two young fellows who have just late arisen to the dignity of a night-keeper, will wake up some morning and find their boots full of snakes and their consciences full of remorse.

From the mere fact of his name being to an advertisement in this column, Alex. McClintock has been credited with writing these items. It would appear that some have honors forced upon them.

The manner in which the mail comes along on freight and bobtail trains and this half way doings of having a train that will take mail sacks on but wont put any off, is an annoyance that should be looked into.

All will regret to learn of the burning of John A. Miller's residence in Atlanta Wednesday. The furniture was all saved and there was \$1,300 insurance on the property, still Mr. Miller's loss is considerable.

There is some little talk to the effect that Mr. Billy Baldwin will be sued for allowing rock placed so far out in the pike negroes cant race white people's horses without a collision. The negroes should be jailed instead.

Some meek and lowly man can do great good in a great cause if he'll carefully scatter some poisoned meat among the dogs. The sermons on Sunday can not atone for the sin these dogs occasion during the week.

Is it as lawful to shoot heyes, take photos and run eating houses on the Lord's day as it is to take an ass out of the pit? If not, then some things done here about are not fully up to the theological law and teachings.

Ben Thomason sold for Oscar Johnson, his farm of 70 acres, to Charlie Leer and mother, for \$5,000 cash. Jas. Arthur also sold to the same parties, the Charlie Bedford farm adjoining, for \$50 per acre, cash.

Foxy Mann has been awarded the contract for collecting up all the brick bats and placing them where the ladies can have free access to them. Does this mean the ladies are for war or desire to prevent bloodshed by not allowing others to use the missiles?

Vagabond Hock stole a ham from the Johnson House one night last week, and after leaving it at Tom Jeff's shoe shop left for parts unknown. It is thought that the scamp can tell who took the barrel of flour from the same place on the same occasion.

It is a noticeable fact that those who most desire to have a personal interview with the head of this department are those who have a little secret history they don't want published. Just be easy; next week completes the contract and if the women don't object there'll be a new hand at the wheel.

The colored citizen are awaiting the action of the grand lodge of Knights of Wise Men regarding the death of Hattie Baker, a member of the lodge this place. Under the law of the lodge the heirs of members are paid \$1,000 within sixty days after the demise. This is the first death here, and interest in colored circles runs high.

The remark that the cage was in the wrong place has set people to thinking of the matter and they have decided to petition the council to have it removed. When a filthy insect, about like Sallie Ball, or Matt Johnson, is placed there for using obscene language on the street, the vile language they use while behind the bars can be discerned by every one in the vicinity.

A few nights since the colored brass band was discoursing sweet music in front of Bryan's Hall, and three citizens stood afar off with down cast eyes endeavoring to catch the tune. One claimed it was Yankee Doodle; another said it was home sweet home; while the third held that it was Old Hundred. After much discussion they agreed to call it "chaos" and that's just what it was.

A few nights since Joe Buff, col'd, was found in the depot—whither he had gone through a window—warming himself before a roaring fire and heeding not the orphan's wail. Joe was made to come out and rest in the cage till Judge Miller gave him a trial, and held him over to await the action of the January grand jury. He and Civ. Williams now make it pleasant for each other in the county jail.

Sam and Will Turney and Dowe Green were all arrested and brought before Squire Jameson for trial for trespassing on A. McClintock's farm, but Mr. McClintock dismissed the case against them on their promising not to do so any more.

Dear John Buck: You wish to know the news. Well, Councilman McIntyre's beef shop is making both ends "meat." Bug Oliver is discussing Mr. Clay and Mr. Webster and Mr. Cameron. The old stone factory is holding out yet. Jno. Barnett continues to laugh occasionally. Jno. Mock keeps his eye on consumptives. Jeff Vimont would talk loud at the sight of Frisky Hunter. Duke Jones supports the "hind man." Jim Collier thinks that the Republicans are not dead—but fearfully disfigured. Amos Jameson wants to be County Judge. Ladies are so attached to this paper they convert it into a bustle. Jacob Coop says "Yohn Hamilton, Yack Hitt and tat Al. Trigg schust ought to be made marry." That's all; Good bye; God bless you. Yours for all's out. &

"B'RRER B'AR."
 POSTED—Notice is hereby given that I posted my farm, adjoining Millersburg, according to all the forms of law, and all persons are forbidden to hunt or fish or trespass in any way on said farm, I will enforce the law against all offenders—WRITE AND BLACK.
 Oct. 17th 1893. ALEX. MCCLINTOCK.

The World, speaking of the London praises of Mary Anderson, says: "We are expected to reciprocate over here by turning our Pactolian stream loose upon Mr. Irving's dramatic wheel." That is a pretty sentence, indeed; but what do the readers of two-cent newspapers know about such learned words as "Pactolian?"

CHRISTINE NILSSON has returned from Europe plumper than ever and as fresh in complexion as a young school-girl. It is really time these returning stars thought of something new to talk about when they are interviewed. About all Nilsson had to say was that she loves dear America and is going to make it her home, and that she will never cross that horrid ocean again. All this she said when she was last here, and yet she went back to Europe on the first opportunity.

POLYGAMY should be crushed out, for it is one of the relics of barbarism, and when it said when the Mormons encourage and foster this relic of barbarism that is the worst that can be said of them. All the evidence of impartial observers goes to show that they are honest, temperate, industrious and virtuous beyond the average of communities. Stories of a different nature, in which they are portrayed as corrupt and degraded, have generally originated with disappointed office-seekers. The truth is, that, shorn of polygamy, the Mormons would undoubtedly very soon be classed among the most creditable citizens of our country.

BOURBON FARM FOR SALE.

FOR SALE PRIVATELY—ONE OF THE best farms in Bourbon, containing 20 acres, improvements are second to none. But little of it been plowed of late years. Barn room enough for 10 acres of tobacco, stock, and poultry; close to first-class college, churches, &c. It is one of the most desirable homes in the county. It must be seen to be appreciated. Come and see it; I want to sell; it is in 3/4 of a mile of North Middletown postoffice. Write for particulars. R. W. OWEN.

PUBLIC SALE!

HAVING sold my farm, I will sell to the highest bidder, on the premises, on **WEDNESDAY, November 21st,** the following personalty: 4 or 5 horses, among which are 2 heavy work horses and 1 combined horse; 5 or 6 grade heifers; 1 grade Jersey; 51 breeding ewes; 3 lambs; 2 bucks; 3 pure bred Poland China sows; 9 shoats; 2 racks of clover hay; 100 barrels of corn; 75 bushels of wheat; 1 combined reaper and mower; 12-horse wagon; all my farming implements, gear, &c. TERMS.—Four months credit will be given on all sums of \$20 and over; under that amount, cash. All debts made negotiable and payable at Deposit Bank, Carlisle, Ky. Sale begins at 10 o'clock, a. m. nov-6-17 T. C. COLLIVER.

FOR SALE PRIVATELY

Having determined to move South, I will offer at private sale, my property in Millersburg, consisting of a good new frame residence, blacksmith's shop, carriage shop and all the tools necessary to operate a first-class shop in the carriage-making business, besides a stock of buggies, wagons, carriages, &c., &c. If this property is not sold by January 10th, I will then sell it at public sale. For further particulars, call on or address, M. THORNTON, Millersburg, Ky. nov-2-1d.

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I DESIRE to inform the turkey-raising public, that I want an unlimited number of fat, plump, corn-fed bluegrass turkeys such as I ship every season to the New York and Boston market. For such, I will pay the highest market price, delivered on foot. oct-30-17 W. W. GILL, Paris, Ky.

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Having an old and well-established turkey trade in Boston and other Eastern cities, I still desire to supply their insatiable demands with the Kentucky-raised birds. I do not care whether they are corn, bluegrass or clover fed, as they are fine fat birds. I will do the same by the trade this year that I have always done—pay the highest market price in cash. I will receive and slaughter at Paris, Richmond and Flemingsburg. O. A. GILMAN. nov-2-17.

PUBLIC SALE VALUABLE FARM.

As agent for the Wilnot heirs, I will sell at public sale, on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8th, on the premises near Hutchison's Station, half-way between Paris and Lexington, on the K. C. Railroad, with the branch of the Bethlehem and Hopewell turnpike running in front of the door, the farm of

165 ACRES OF LAND,

which is perhaps as good land as there is in the county or bluegrass region. The farm contains a good brick residence in good repair, good water, orchard, ice-house, barns and all necessary improvements. Sale at 12:30 p. m., which will give ample time to attend the sale on the trains and return on them to either Paris or Lexington. Terms liberal. SMITH KENNEY, Agent. A. T. FORSYTH, Auctioneer.

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HOTEL FOR SALE.

HAVING DETERMINED TO MIGRATE to Texas, I will offer at private sale, the **BOURBON HOUSE**, the principal hotel property of Paris. The house is large, roomy and located in the old and business portion of the city, and has a fine paying trade. Will sell the house and fixtures at a bargain. For full particulars, call on address HENRY TURNER, Proprietor.

PROFESSIONAL.

HAVING severed my connection with Prof. Spence's School, I will hereafter give my undivided attention to my private pupils. To those desiring my professional services, I pledge my utmost exertions for the advancement of those entrusted to my care. A. M. GUTZEIT.

NEW MILLINERY SHOP

MRS. DR. J. B. SMITH, Millersburg, Ky., has received a fine line of new millinery goods and will constantly add all new features of the business as the season advances. The goods are new, pretty and varied. Prices reasonable. Mrs. Katie Dayless presides as trimmer, and perfect satisfaction will be guaranteed. Call early and often. oct-5-17

FOR SALE PRIVATELY.

I desire to sell at private sale, my residence at Shawhan's, Bourbon county, (lately the property of Richard Kule), and my lot where the store recently burned from. The residence is an elegant frame cottage of the latest improved plan and is in No. 1 repair; good garden and yard, and is well watered. The store-lot has a good foundation on which to build, and is a splendid stand for a country store. I sold \$22,000 worth of goods at the stand in eleven months. For full particulars, address the undersigned. A. M. KELLER, Shawhan, Ky.

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The Large Space under the Arm; Large Bobbin; Double Feed; Ease of Running; Facility for Threading the Machine Quickly; Self-setting Needle; Automatic Tension; Device for winding the Bobbin without running the Machine, Etc. ISAAC CLAY, AGT. Paris, Ky.

FOR RENT.

A comfortable dwelling with five rooms, and a kitchen, yard and garden attached. Also, a blacksmith shop—No. 1 stand. For terms, apply to Mrs. A. K. ASHURST, oct-23-17 Hutchison, K. C. R. R.

GRINDING.

While Bro. Shaw is torn down, I will grind corn on Wednesdays and Saturdays for customers. J. M. THOMAS.

FRESH OYSTERS!

I am receiving direct from Baltimore FRESH OYSTERS from the old reliable house of E. B. Mallory & Co. House-keepers can depend upon getting the very best oysters and perfectly fresh. W. W. GILL.

FOR SALE!

MY farm at Little Rock, containing about 180 ACRES. New brick house. New tobacco barn. All in grass for ten years, except 3 acres of good tobacco land. Price, \$12,000. [9000-22m] J. M. THOMAS.

JACKS FOR SALE.

I HAVE for sale five splendid Black Jacks, with white points, 3 years old, 15 1/2 hands high. They are of the best breeding, descending from Napoleon, Buena Vista and Imp. Mammoth. Two of them took the blue and red ribbons at the Paris Fair. Any one wishing to buy will please call and see them at J. MONROE LEERS, Paris, Ky.



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THIS WEEK

We desire to state to the public that we keep in stock a full supply of the celebrated "ALLIGATOR" coal and wood cook stoves. The Alligator has held a prominent place in this market for more than twenty years and can be found in use in every section of the county. We are ready to offer a premium for a single instance where it has not given the very best satisfaction. We are now receiving a complete stock of all kinds of heating stoves for parlors, stores and halls, including the best base burner for hard and soft coal made. We also keep in stock a good clean supply of all goods usually found in a first-class Store and Tin Store, among which may be found the celebrated PURIFYING PUMP, and the equally celebrated MONITOR COAL OIL STOVES, &c., &c.

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